

## MISSOULA...

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## FROM LO LO TO DARBY

Business Activity Takes the Place of Dormancy.

## THE MARKET IS EXCELLENT

At Hamilton Everything is Very Lively—The Saw Mills are Running Full Blast and Many Men Find Employment.

MISSOULA, Nov. 19.—Despite the cold which swept across it for a day or two last week the Bitter Root valley gives no sign of the comparative dormancy which generally characterizes agricultural communities during the winter months. From Lo Lo to Darby there is still the bustling activity which has been noticeable in the valley all this season. The ranchmen are now hurrying their crops to market and all of them agree that never before were Bitter Root products in such good favor as this year, and, while prices as a rule are somewhat lower than in previous seasons, the market is satisfactory and they have no reason to complain. The valley has been more thoroughly advertised for a year than ever before and its worth is becoming appreciated in the towns and cities that furnish a market for the products of the ranches of this section. What has been heretofore considered as mere boasting is now recognized as the truth and, as a prominent Butte man said the other day to a STANDARD reporter: "There is nothing too extravagant to be said in praise of this wonderful valley."

There have been several transfers made recently of ranching property in the Bitter Root valley and some of the purchasers have already taken possession of their new farms, while others will not take up their residence in the valley until spring. J. Trevaile, well known in Butte and Granite, is among those who have this fall adopted ranching as an occupation. His new location is the splendid lives ranch, near Stevensville, and on this fine property he is preparing to make his home. Just before this place on the Wilkinson ranch J. E. Powell of Butte has settled down this month. Mr. Powell drove from Butte early last week and his family went up the valley by train on Wednesday morning. In other parts of the valley active, progressive men are settling and the indications are that this new infusion will tend to the decided improvement of the valley.

Stevensville people are naturally much elated over the success of their village in the recent county seat contest and are gratified at the generous support that the town received at the polls. The county seat of Ravalli county is becoming an important shipping point and this year larger quantities than ever of hay, grain and potatoes are being sent out. The crop of oats in the valley this year was unusually large but, as the excellence of the Bitter Root oats, as becomes known, the demand is largely increased and shippers state that they have no difficulty in securing a market. Nor is this true of oats alone. The demand for Bitter Root apples and potatoes this year has been greater than ever and the shippers find difficulty in supplying the market for these products.

At Hamilton everything is alive with industry. The saw mills are making the most of the short time remaining in which operations can be continued and the saws shriek their way daily through hundreds of thousands of feet of logs and the yards are piled full of lumber waiting for shipment. The extensive planing mill is approaching completion and, as soon as the machinery arrives, will be in active operation. This mill will be run all winter, there being large orders ahead. The present planing mill is being run day and night and the new plant is sorely needed. The Bitter Root Development company has received the contract for furnishing the interior finish of the buildings of Fort Harrison, which will require some time for preparation. This means that Hamilton will be a busy town all winter.

The new water works at Hamilton have been completed sufficiently to have the water supply turned on in the principal streets and the work of putting in the lateral pipe lines is being pushed as rapidly as possible. No city in the state has a better water supply than Hamilton and the completion of the system is a source of congratulation for this thriving town. The new fire department was given a trial run last week to test the new works and everything worked as smoothly as if the water system had been in operation for years. The firemen made a good showing as well, and Hamilton is certainly well protected against fire.

The new bank building is being pushed to completion and will be occupied in a few weeks. Work on the Lucas block was interrupted for a short time last week by the cold weather, but has been resumed and will be continued as long as the weather will permit. Wynne Roberts' new block will be ready for occupancy in about three weeks and Mr. Roberts will move his store to this location. There is also a handsome brick livery stable nearing completion, and which is an important addition to the city's buildings. As soon as spring opens other buildings will be commenced, and the prospects for next season are very bright.

Next year, unless all signs fail, will be a most prosperous one for Ravalli county, and the expectations of the friends of this rich region will be more than realized. There is now no more prosperous county than Ravalli and its era of progress has only just begun.

## MISSOULA NEWS NOTES.

MISSOULA, Nov. 19.—Herr Bandmann has assigned the papers for "The Corsican Brothers" and rehearsals will begin at once.

Mrs. C. F. Davis is recovering from her recent severe illness.

The opening of the new public library to-day was most successful. The patronage was much larger than had been expected.

W. E. Lindbergh has returned to Thompson Falls after a visit of several days in Missoula.

The Irish Complaint. In W. R. Le Fanu's "Seventy Years of Irish Life" is a reference to the visit of

George IV to Ireland in 1821, which was enlivened, as much as a state visit may be, by the following incident:

The king entered Dublin in an open carriage drawn by eight splendid horses and attended by a number of grooms and footmen in magnificent liveries. He was in military uniform and constantly took off his hat, smiling and bowing to the people, who enthusiastically cheered him. At one point a man close to the carriage stretched out his hand to the king and said:

"Shake hands, your majesty!" The king shook hands heartily. The man waved his hand and called out: "Begorra, I'll never wash that hand again!"

## BOOKS AND READERS.

"What book has helped you most?" inquired Miss Bobleigh. And after a long thought Cholly replied: "My book of thimble papahs."—Truth.

The first thought that is inspired by the publication of Gladstone's translation of the Odes of Horace is that it may be a long time yet before the Grand Old Man is translated.—Boston Herald.

A western newspaper has an advertisement in which the subscriber offers to teach any one "the poetry business in six weeks." Hat of Hamilton Garland! and has it come to this?—Atlanta Constitution.

"Could you use a little poem of mine?" asked the poet. "I guess I could," replied the editor. "There are two broken panes of glass and a hole in the skylight. How large is it?"—Atlanta Constitution.

A play by W. D. Howells entitled "Samson," a dramatization of the story about the strong man of the Bible, was acted for the first time in Schenectady Oct. 31. Apparently Mr. Howells' "Samson" has not Samsonian strength, for nothing has been heard of it since.—Rochester Union.

A teacher of a Virginia district school recently asked one of her little colored pupils to go to the blackboard and write a sentence thereon containing the word "delight." George Washington Jackson went promptly to the front of the room and wrote in a large, scrawling hand these words: "De wind blowed so hard dat it put out de light."—Harper's Young People.

## THE COMING WOMAN.

Instead of "taming the shrew," it is the shrew apparently that is attempting to tame us!—London Truth.

Hickory, dicory, dock, The mouse runs up the clock; To other designs His heart inclines, But bloomers his purposes mock. —Detroit Tribune.

Wing: Do you think women should take part in politics? King: Well, some women possess one important qualification for political success. Wing: What is that? King: Barrels of money.—Puck.

"John, have you made the fire?" "Yes, dear." "And milked the cow?" "Yes, dear." "And dressed the children?" "Yes, dear." "Well, you can put the coffee on and then shave yourself for church."—Atlanta Constitution.

George: Women are still pushing their way into all the industries. Jack: That's so. I have just been discharged to make way for a woman. "You have? Well, well! What are you going to do now?" "I am trying to marry the woman."—New York Weekly.

The Husband—Well, what ticket did you vote, Maria? The Wife—The non-partisan ticket. The Husband—H'm! Did you have any particular reform or public improvement in view in voting that ticket? The Wife—Just hear the man! As if I would mix myself up in your dirty politics. I voted the non-partisan ticket because it has a nicer sound than either democrat or republican.—New York Press.

## A WINTER SIGN.

I know that winter's coming, now—Not by the barren trees, Nor yet the schoolboy's ruddy brow, Nor yet the bracing breeze; I know it comes with rapid stride, For, with a startling roar, Calls grandpa from the chimney side: "Will someone shut that door?"

My timid neighbor makes a call, As in the warmer days, And through the dust of memory's hall Our conversation strays; She pauses, ere she passes out, To have "just one word more"—When bellows grandpa's angry shout: "Why don't you shut the door?"

My minister comes tripping in, With eyes that sadly roll, To talk of all the arts of sin That sorely press the soul; Yet ere one stealthy foot hath trod Upon the parlor floor, Hath grandpa started from his nod, And yelled: "Oh, shut the door!"

Though other polar signs may fail To warn of coming storm, And e'en the scattered, showering hail Melt in the sunlight warm— Away with doubt! I know full well The season's here once more, When paralyzed by grandpa's yell: "Why don't you shut the door?"

I censure not his harmless rage, By chilling senses tost, Upon whose head the hand of age Hath traced eternal frost; I know 'twill be a lovely dream Upon time's dreary shore, When only memory haunts him scream: "Why don't you shut the door?" —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## A "Compliment."

Two old school fellows met 15 years after their graduation and fell, figuratively, upon each other's necks. "Well, well, dear old Smith!" said Green, "How glad I am to see you! What days those were! Ha! ha! Smith, you were the stupidest fellow in the class." "Yes, I suppose I was." "And here you are now! Why, (looking him over), 'you haven't changed a particle!'—Youth's Companion.

They Didn't Mean That. Will England try to browbeat Japan? The Japanese have said that they would not be afraid to give Johnny Bull battle.

Needles of bone, very delicately made, have been found in the Swiss lake dwellings.

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A Observer will not fail to notice that in each large section of our country some one particular railroad will be found always a little in advance of its competitors. In the great Northwest this enviable position belongs to The North-Western Line.—The Health and Home, Minneapolis.

## RELIGION CAUSED IT ALL

Felix Franco Thumped By Three Tough Thugs.

## WANTED TO SEE FAIR PLAY

Because He Did Not Stand By and Watch a Stranger Beaten To Death They Kicked Him Into Jail Chunks.

BUTTE, Nov. 19.—Felix Franco was terribly beaten up in West Mercury street about 11 o'clock to-night. He was walking quietly along the street when he passed four fellows who were engaged in a red-hot religious discussion. Just as he was passing them three of them jumped on the fourth one, who evidently disagreed with them, and proceeded to pound him with an energy that was worthy of a better cause.

Franco thereupon interfered and told the three belligerents not to all jump on one man at once. They then turned their attention to Franco and, after knocking him down and jumping up and down on him a few times, they proceeded to kick his head into an unrecognizable mass. They left him in an unconscious condition and it was not their fault that he was not dead.

He was discovered by Officer Barry a short time later and removed to his room at the Silver Lake hotel, where Dr. Campbell attended him. His injuries are of a serious nature, but are not expected to prove fatal.

Junson (who is trying to instruct Miss Earlbird in politics)—Do you understand why there was so little mud slinging in the campaign this fall? Miss Earlbird (innocently)—Isn't it on account of the extremely dry summer we had?—Boston Journal.

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## WANT ADS.

ADVERTISEMENTS under the head of "Employment Wanted," and "Rooms to Rent" cost a word each insertion; under all other headings, 2 cents a word for the first insertion and 1 cent a word for each subsequent insertion. No Ads. taken for less than 2 cents. Classified Ads. per line per month, \$1.25. (Count 7 words to the line)

## WANTED—HELP.

WANTED—Girls for general housework, first-class chambermaid, bucket girl and two pantry girls; also good cooks. Prop. of Employment Agency, Owsley block, Butte.

WANTED—Good servant girl at once. M. J. Foley, corner Maple and Third streets, Anaconda.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Inquire at 21 East Copper street, Butte.

WANTED—Housework: girls and family cooks, wages \$2; dining room girls, wages \$3 and \$5; women cooks, wages \$3 and \$4. Center City Employment Agency, Owsley block, Butte.

## WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—Situation by competent stenographer and typewriter. Address 5, Standard, Butte.

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—20 head of milk cows, dairy stock from Iowa. Call at D. G. Bricker's stable, corner Washington and Travolta sts., Butte.

N. W. SFAPE. FOR SALE.—The Age, published weekly at Boulder, Montana, is offered for sale. Is well established at the county seat of the most promising mining country in the state. Receipts for the past twelve months for job work, advertising and subscription amounted to \$3,000, and the income could easily be increased to 10 to 15 per cent. Call on or address, Will Kennedy, Boulder.

FOR SALE—Nine voting booths. Inquire of F. T. Harding, Davidson's store, Butte.

FOR SALE.—The finest located and best paying restaurant in the city for sale at a bargain. Great Falls is the coming city of Montana. Now is your chance for a bargain. Good reasons given for selling. Address J. A. Hoeller, P. O. box 224, Great Falls, Mont.

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Large, nicely furnished front room. First floor 215 W. Galena st., Butte.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms 107 E. Broadway, Butte.

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FOR RENT—Furnished and unfurnished houses. Winters & Co., 204 Main street, Anaconda.

FOR RENT—Two office rooms. Apply to Miss Walker, in the Union block, Anaconda, Montana.

## LOST.

LOST—Red cow, branded P D on both hips. \$5 reward return to Frank Cannon, Walker, Butte.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

MISS ILLIE PARISIEN, Piano and Violin teacher. Natural flowers waxed and preserved, 27 W. Quartz street, Butte.

FOR EXCHANGE—Two good hacks and 2 teams, fully equipped, to exchange for better property. Siemens & Ganser, 4 E. Broadway, Butte.

WANTED—A heavily built single delivery wagon. Must be in good condition. Apply Fox & O'Brien, Anaconda.

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NOTICE OF THE SALE OF MINING CLAIMS.—Notice is hereby given that as executor of the estate of John Daly, deceased, I will sell at public sale all of the interest of said John Daly, deceased, in the following mining claims in the Georgetown and Cripple Creek districts, being mostly gold properties: The Fair Staff, E. J. Bravo, Grand Prize, Montezuma, Maggie Day, Young Ireland, Free speech, True American, Fraction, John A. Loach, John A. Loach Fraction, Charles S. Parnell, James G. Blaine, Young America, Red White and Blue, Banner. In front of the office of T. D. Fitzgerald, corner of Commercial, avenue and Oak streets in the city of Anaconda on Saturday the 1st day of December, 1894, at two o'clock p. m. James L. Quinn, executor of the estate of John Daly, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—Estate of Isalah Grandmire, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Isalah Grandmire, deceased, to the creditors of said deceased, being mostly gold properties, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at Garrison, county of Deer Lodge, state of Montana, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate. H. E. Brown, administrator of the estate of Isalah Grandmire, deceased.

Dated Oct. 20, 1894.



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